

and it failed to bear a label stating the common or usual name of each ingredient.

DISPOSITION: March 10, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the labels be destroyed and that the product be delivered to a State hospital, for consumption by the inmates.

SUGAR

18655. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 10,000 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 32457. Sample Nos. 3428-L, 3429-L.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about January 24, 1952, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 15, 1951, from Sagua la Grande, Cuba.

PRODUCT: 18,000 100-pound bags of sugar at Baltimore, Md., in possession of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: February 13, 1952. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for segregation of the good portion and the re-refining of the unfit portion so that it would be brought into compliance with the law.

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

BAKERY PRODUCTS

18656. Adulteration of bakery products. U. S. v. Pivaronas Bakeries, Algird Pivaronas, and Leonard Pivaronas. Pleas of guilty. Fine of \$600, plus costs, against defendants jointly. (F. D. C. No. 31560. Sample Nos. 9893-L to 9897-L, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 14, 1952, Northern District of Illinois, against Pivaronas Bakeries, a partnership, Chicago, Ill., and against Algird Pivaronas and Leonard Pivaronas, partners in the partnership.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 8, 1951, from the State of Illinois into the State of Indiana.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insect fragments, insects, rodent hairs, cat hairs, and maggots; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the articles had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: April 18, 1952. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$600, plus costs, against the defendants jointly.

18657. Adulteration of bread. U. S. v. L. W. Rosenberg (Rosenberg Bakery). Fine of \$1,000 and probation for 90 days. (F. D. C. No. 31565. Sample Nos. 31132-L, 31133-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 23, 1952, Western District of Tennessee, against L. W. Rosenberg, trading as the Rosenberg Bakery, Memphis, Tenn.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 4, 1951, from the State of Tennessee into the State of Mississippi.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, rodent hair fragments, and mites; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 4, 1952. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered the court fined the defendant \$1,000 on count 1. The sentence was suspended on count 2 and the defendant was placed on probation for 90 days, conditioned that he rectify the insanitary conditions of the bakery.

18658. Adulteration of bread and bread crumbs. U. S. v. Torino Baking Co., and Annunzio Gonnella, Lawrence Marcucci, and Achille DeBenedetti. Pleas of guilty. Fine of \$750, plus costs. (F. D. C. No. 31573. Sample Nos. 9898-L, 32908-L, 32909-L, 32911-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 14, 1952, Northern District of Illinois against the Torino Baking Co., a corporation; Annunzio Gonnella, president; Lawrence Marcucci, secretary-manager; and Achille DeBenedetti, assistant manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 2 and 6, and August 16, 1951, from the State of Illinois into the State of Indiana.

LABEL, IN PART: "Torino's Vienna Bread [or "Bread Crumbs"]" or "Mel-o-Crust Rye Bread."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (4), the product had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: April 8, 1952. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a general fine of \$750, plus costs, against the defendants.

FLOUR

18659. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 1,297 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31967. Sample No. 9762-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 6, 1951, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 7, 1951, by Abner Wolfe, Inc., from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: 1,297 25-pound bags of flour at Chicago, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "General Mills Washburn's Gold Medal Kitchen Tested Enriched Flour Bleached."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product was unfit for food by reason of its contamination with machine oil.

DISPOSITION: January 10, 1952. General Mills, Inc., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be converted into stock feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

18660. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 21 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 31926. Sample Nos. 20874-L to 20876-L, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: October 30, 1951, Western District of Louisiana.